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PROGRAMME OF DEPARTURES.

Vessels.	Tons	H. P.	Captains.	FRIDAY 1885.
HYDASPES	2984	500	G. Scrivener	4th Dec.
PARRAMATTA	4759	900	W. D. Anderson	11th ,,
ANCONA	4128	600	R. G. Murray	18th ,,
NIZAM	2726	500	W. J. Webber	25th ,,
RAVENNA	3372	700	F. H. Sermour	1st Jan. 1886
BOKHARA	2944	500	H. Weichell	8th ,,
MALWA	2959	500	G. W. Atkinson	15th ,,
ASSAM	3038	500	S. F. Cole	22nd ,,
MIRZAPORE	3887	600	R. Harvey	29th ,,
VERONA	3116	640	M. de Horne	5th Feb.
CATHAY	2953	550	J. P. Hasall	12th ,,
GWALIOR	2733	500	F. Harris	19th ,,
GANGES	4196	800	K. Stewart	26th ,,
AUSTRALIA	3964	600	E. Ashdown	4th Mar.
NEPAUL	3536	600	F. J. Alderton	12th ,,
NIZAM	2726	500	W. J. Webber	19th ,,
THAMES	4101	800	W. A. Seaton	26th ,,

The steamers marked L proceed direct to London via Malta, and those marked M via Marseilles. By the latter passengers for London change vessels at Suez.

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Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1885.
GANGES	4196	800	K. Stewart	11th Dec.
NEPAUL	3536	600	T. J. Alderton	25th Dec.
THAMES	4101	800	W. A. Seaton	8th Jan. 1886
PESHAWUR	3900	600	L. H. Moule	22nd ,,
CLYDE	4124	800	E. M. Edmond	5th Feb.

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Bombay, Dec. 4, 1885.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

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STEAMERS leave BOMBAY for MARSEILLES and LONDON direct every four weeks (see general advertisement), and the voyage to the former port is accomplished in 13 days in fair weather (21 days during the Monsoon). The Railway journey from Marseilles to London occupies about 27 hours.

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Acting Superintendent, P. and O. S. N. Co.
Bombay, Dec. 3, 1885.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA

SOCIETA RIUNITE FLORIO RUBATTINO.

THE Regular Mail-steamers leave BOMBAY on the 1st of each month at noon, calling at ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, GENOA, and MARSEILLES, starting from GENOA on the 24th of every month for BOMBAY.

FARE to all Ports of Italy Rs. 300, Rs. 340, Rs. 150, 1st First, Second, and Third Class, respectively, inclusive of Wine. Infants are allowed free. Children above three and under ten years, half fare. Families will be allowed liberal discount. To Marseilles Rs. 20, 10, and 5 extra, for First, Second, and Third Class, respectively.

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RAFFAELE RUBATTINO	5,000 850	1st Jan. 1886
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BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL *VIA* KARACHI.

s. s. ARMENIA	3550	480	G. Read ..... 19th Dec.

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

				Saturday.
s. s. CALIFORNIA	3550	480	Wm. Young	9th Jan.'86
s. s. PERSIA	3550	480	W. Hutchison	23rd ,,
s. s. VICTORIA	3549	480	Wm. Russel	6th Feb.
s. s. ASIA	3550	480	J. Craig	20th ,,
s. s. BELGRAVIA	5000	520	J. Boothby	6th Mar.
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s.s. City of CANTERBURY	3,212	A. B. Gray	5th Dec. 1885.
s.s. CITY of CARTHAGE	2,650	W. M. Greive	8th Jan 1886
s.s. CITY of MANCHESTER	3,125	A. Macdonald	7th Feb

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Fine ,, ,,	,, 1-3
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In her great double, Alice and Mildred Petherick.

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White Seal	...18 ....
Fine Old	...26 13 0
Superior Old	...33 18 0
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Bordeaux	...10 6 0
St. Julien Medoc	...10 6 0
Petit Medoc	...13 7 8
Superior Medoc	...16 9 8
Chateau La Grange	...21 11 8
Chateau La Rose	...26 14 8
Chateau Margaux	...32 17 0
BURGUNDIES.	
Chablis	...17 9 8
Beaune	...18 10 0
Macon	...23 12 8
Pommard	...21 11 8
Chambertin	...30 16 8
Sparkling Burgundy	...38 21 0
SAUTERNES.	
Barsac	...17 9 8
Sauterne	. 21 12 0
Haut Sauterne	...30 16 0
CHAMPAGNES.	
F. Giesler & Co.'s "for India" brand	...50 26 8
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Laubenheim	...17 9 8
Geisenheim	...20 11 0
Hochheim	...24 13 0
Steinwein (glass jugs)	...24 ....
Nierstein	...27 14 8
Liebfraumilch	...33 17 8
Johannisberg	...42 23 0
Superior Sparkling Hock	...35 19 0
Finest Ehrenbreitstein	...42 23 0
Fine Sparkling Moselle	...30 16 8
Superior ,, ,,	...34 19 0
Finest Nonpareil ,, ,,	...41 22 8
BRANDIES.	
Pale Cognac	... 26 0
Old Pale Cognac	... 30 0
Fine Old Pale Cognac (Treacher's celebrated Heart Labelled).	33 0
Hennessy's	... 37 0
Exshaw's	... 38 0
Denis Mounie's	... 28 0
WHISKIES.	
Treacher's Irish	... 22 8
Treacher's Scotch Glenlivet	... 22 8
Crabbie's	... 21 0
Kinahan's	... 21 0
HOLLANDS AND GINS.	
Treacher's "Superior Hollands,"	...per doz. 16 0
DeKuper's Hollands Geneva, in cases containing 15 large flasks per case	... 27 0
Treacher's Dry Unsweetened Gin	per doz. 18 0
Treacher's London Old Tom	per doz. 16 0
Treacher's Plymouth Gin	per doz. 18 0
Swaine & Boord's Old Tom	16 0
Booth's Old Tom per doz.	... 18 0

LIQUEURS.	Per Bottle Cash. Qts. Rs. a.	Pts. Rs. a.
Benedictine	... 5 8	3 0
Chartreuse, from the Monastery, Green..	7 0	3 12
Do. do. Yellow.	5 8	3 0
Cherry Brandy, best Morella (Treacher's)	2 12	1 8
Creme de Cacao	3 4	...
Creme de Noyeau (Best)	... 3 0	1 12
Curacao, Amsterdam, Orange or White	... 4 0	2 4
Kummel	... 3 0	...
Maraschino de Zara (the finest)	... 3 12	2 0
BITTERS, &c.	Per doz. Cash. Qts. Rs. a.	Pts. Rs. a.
Angostura Bitters	... ,,	22 8
Orange Bitter	... 22 0	12 0
Brandy Bitters, Treacher & Co.'s Pomalo & Orange Bitters, Treacher & Co.'s ...	½ pints 12	0
Wine Bitters, Treacher & Co.'s ...		
Ginger Brandy	... 23 0	
Orange Brandy	... 30 0	
Ginger Wine	... 15 0	
Milk Punch, Treacher and Co.'s	... 24 0	
Vermouth, French	... 15 0	
Vermouth, Italian	... 16 0	

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PAYSONDER TONGUES
LUNCH TONGUES
PRESERVED MEATS & FISH
PRESERVED VEGETABLES
PATE DE FOIE GRAS, &c.
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PICKLES AND SAUCES, &c., &c.
TART FRUITS
DESSERT FRUITS
JAMS AND JELLIES
BISCUITS
PRESERVED MILK
COFFEE AND COCOAS
INDIAN TEAS, &c., &c.

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CRYSTALLIZED FRUITS, etc.

Apricots, Greengages, Green Almonds. Melon, Cherries, Angelica, Mixed Fruit, Green Chinois, Gold Chinois, Ginger, Mirabelles, Peaches, White Pears, Pink Pears,

in case of about 7 lbs. or by the lb. Rs. 2 per lb.

Assortments of the above in Boxes at from Annas 10 to Re. 1-12 each.

BON BON CRACKERS AND DECORATED COSAQUES in great variety, in Boxes at from Annas 10 to Rs. 4.

ROSE WATER CRACKERS, per dozen Re. 1-4.

CONFECTIONERY, &c.

	Rs. a.		Rs. a.		Rs. a.
Brandy Fruits	per lb. 2 0	Silvered Comfits	... 2 0	Chocolate Crystallized in boxes at	Rs. 1-4 to 2 8
Candied Peels	per lb. 1 0	Almonds Fondants	per lb. 2 0	Chocolate Pestache in boxes at	Rs. 2 to 3 0
China Preserves	... 2 2	Dragees	per lb. 2 0	Chocolate Lombart fin Vanille	per box 4 0
Butter Scotch	Rs. 0 6 to 4 12	French Plums	Rs. 2-12 0	Chocolate Lombart excellence Vanille	per box 1 8
Nougat	... 0 8	Liqueur Comfits	per lb. 1 12	Fancy Chocolate Bon Bon	per lb. 8 0
Almonds	per lb. 2 0	Noyeau Fruits	... 2 0	Turkish Delight	... 1 2
Strawberries in Syrup	... 1 4	Almonds and Raisins	... 2 4	Lemon and Raspberry Pastilles	... 1
Toffee	Annas 6 to 0 12	Fruit Lozenges	per lb. 1 12		
Burnt Almonds	per lb. 2 0	Imperial Mixture	... 0 12		
Pomona Tablet	... 1 12	Chocolate Vanille in boxes at	Rs. 1 to 2 8		
Rose Caramels	... 1 2				
Pralines Vanille	... 2 0	Chocolate Creams in boxes at	Rs. 1-8 to 3 0		
,, Rose	... 2 0				

Fancy Boxes filled with Sweets, from 12 as. to Rs. 6.

BRAZIL NUTS	As. 12 per lb.	FIGS, FINEST ELEME	As. 12 per box.
BARCELONA NUTS	,, 8 ,,	GRAPES, very fine	Rs. 1-2 per lb.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

TUESDAY EVENING, DEC. 8.

A DECLINE of ½ per cent. in 4½ per cent. Rupee Paper is the only change in the regular list of quotations which Reuter gives from the London Stock Exchange. The 3½ per cent. Indian Sterling Loan is quoted at 99¾ ex div. as against the previous price of 100⅜, but this simply means the difference in interest.

In the General Produce market alterations are few and unimportant. Calcutta Rapeseed has declined 3d. per quarter, otherwise prices remain unchanged.

Cotton in Liverpool yesterday, Reuter says, closed quieter. The sales were 8,000 bales, including 400 Surats, and spot prices were unchanged, but Americans to arrive were partially 1-64d. lower. In New York prices were lower yesterday by 1s. 1-11 cent in Ready Cotton and 5 points in Futures. The receipts are free, which accounts for the backward tendency. To date the figures give the following comparison with the two previous seasons :—

	1885.	1884.	1883.
Two days' receipts	50,000	55,000	58,000
Three ,, ,,	90,000	101,000	114,000
Total since 1st Sept.	2,751,000	2,774,000	2,788,000

Cotton here to-day has been easier, and quotabl Re. 1 per candy lower. Good Omras for Marc have changed hands at Rs. 177, and Good Bhownuggurs for April at Rs. 180 ; but these are scarcely legitimate prices, the sellers not being regular dealers. Good Bengals for 15th Dec. delivery have been done at Rs. 164, and Fine at Rs. 174 ; but the growth continues comparatively scarce.

Wheat, while firmly held by sellers, is quiet, an the reverse of active. For No. 1 Soft White ther is an inquiry at Rs. 3-14¦ to Rs. 3-15½, but other sorts meet but a poor demand.

Seeds are unchanged all round.

Freights are very quiet, and the engagements making are limited. Some booking for Trieste and Venice forward shipment has taken place at 32s. 6d. par exchange, but in other destinations previous rates are maintained. Current rates are :—

	Ready. wheat.	Forward.
Liverpool	18-9 n s	20 n s to 22-6 n s
London	18-3 o s	17-6 o s to 20
Havre	18-9 to 21-3	20 to 22-6
Dunkirk	21-3	21-3 to 22-6
Antwerp	21-3 to 22-6	do.
Marseilles	20 to 21-3	do.
Trieste-Venice	27-6 to 2	32-6 to 2.

EXCHANGE maintains the same dull level as before. Rates are quite unaltered, and very few private bills are offering, while the demand for remittance is equally slow. Closing rates for ready bills are :—

Bank Bills on demand	1s. 6 3-16d.	per rupee.
Do. Telegraphic	1s. 6 5-32d.	,,
Do. Three months' sight.	1s. 6 5-16d.	,,
Credits ,, ,,	1s. 6 13-32d.	,,
France ,, ,,	1'94.	,,

GOVERNMENT Paper is practically unaltered in value. Fours ready are Rs. 97 11-16, January delivery Rs. 97⅛ to 9-16. Fours-and-a-half are still quoted at Rs. 99½.

In SHARES there are few changes to note. Spinning and Weaving Mills are weaker all round, but for all other shares we should call the tone firm.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS.

	Shares.	Amt.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash. Rate.
					Rs
INDIAN BANKS.	Rs.	Rs.			7234
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	5p.ct.	812
Bank of Bengal	42,000	500	all	10 do.	820x
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	5 do.	5874
EXCHANGE BANKS.	£	£			
Agra Bank	10,000	100	all	6 do.	130
Hong. and Shang. B. Corporation	60,000	$125	all	17½ do.	£62
National Bank of India	37,330	250		5 pct.	110

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad S. & W. Company	1,30•	1,000	1,00. ..		1,375
Albert Edward Cotton Mills Co. Ld.	1,000	500	50	..	435
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	30,000	100	100	..	100
Alfred Manf'g. Co.	1,000	500	500	..	320
AllianceCotton & Silk Manufg. Co., Ld.	1,800	1,000	1,00. ..		715
Bellary S.&W.Co.,Ld.	871	500	all	Rs. 22½	500
Bhownuggur Mills	9,0 0	100	100	...	94
Bombay United	1,000	1,000	1,00. ..		915
Berar Mfg. Co., Ld.	2,750	250	27	..	170
Central India S. & W. Company	3,000	500	50	Rs. 30	775
Colaba Land & Mill Co.	4,000	700	700	Rs. 175	725
Connaught Mills	840	500	50.	..	6474
Coorla Mills	1,300	1,000	1,30	..	645
City of Bombay	600	1,000	1,000	..	830
Dharumsey S & W.Co	3,000	2,•	1,00	..	2300
Dhun Mills	1,000	1,0	1,.	..	1,000
Empress S. & W. Co.	1,50.	5•	5.	Rs. 25	600
Framji Petit Mfg. Co.	1,000	1,0	1,0	..	961
Goiam Baba S. Co.	2,00.	5.	5	..	390
Gordon Mills	1,032	1,00	1,00	..	175
Hindustan Mills	1,20	1,0	1,0	..	840
Hingunghat Mill Co.	700	50	50	..	695
HybradabSpinningCo	700	1,0	1,0	Rs 30	1,060
Impl.Cotton Mills Co.	4•0	50	50	..	435
Indian Manf'g Co. Ld.	568	1,00	1,0	Rs. 30	1,072½
James Greaves Mills.	100	500	5.	..	560
Jafer Ali Bhy. Co.	1,0	1,0	1,0	..	1,075
Jewrai Bhalloo	1,300	1,00	1,0	..	1,075
Khandesh Mills	750	1,00	1,00	Rs 30	920
Khatao Mackanjee	1,00	1,00	1,00	Rs. 21	370
Leopold S. Bleaching & Mfg. Co., Ld.	3,500	10	1.	Rs. 5	147
Madras United	500	1,00	1,0	100	26 0
Mahalukshmi	650	1,00	1,0	..	615
Manockjee Petit's	4,05.	1,00	1,00	..	1,175
Manogee Spinning Co	5,000	25	25	..	240
Morarjee Goculdas	1,150	1,00	1,00	Rs. 50	1,465
National Spinning	600	1,00	1,00	..	560
Nigam Cotton Cleaning Co. Ld.	1,000	100	5	..	100
Narayan Cotton Mills	850	1,00	1,00	..	915
New Great Eastern	1 500	1,0	1,0	..	905
Oriental	5,725	625	625	..	565
Parell S. & W. Co. Ld.	2,500	400	40	..	105
Purple of India S. & W. Company	1,00	25	250	..	185
Prince of Wales Spinning Company	1,250	500	50.	..	115
Queen Spinning	800	1,00	1,00	..	790
Ripon	1,0	1,0	1,0	..	740
Sassoon S. & W. Co.	1,500	1,00	1,00	..	1,500
Shoiapore Mills	678	1,00	1,00	Rs. 35	1,315
Soonderdas	1,000	1,00	1,00	..	670
Soonamal	1,000	500	50	Rs. 12½	415
Southern Mahratta S. & W. Co. Ld.	1,212	250	25	..	230
Victoria Mills	800	1,000	1,00	..	550
Western India S.&M. Company	1,200	1,000	1,00	..	690

PRESS COMPANIES.

Akbar Cotton	200	1,250	1,250	..	900
Akola Press Co.	85	500	500	Rs. 50	445
Albert Ginning Co.	100	500	500	Rs. 45	420
Albert Press Co., Kurrachee	220	1,100	1,100	Rs. 175	1,070
Apollo P. & D. Co. (small shares)	750	400	400	Rs. 2•	300
Bellary	650	1,000	1,000	Rs. 25	540
Bombay Cotton P. & Co., Ld.	500	200	20	Rs. 16	165
Bombay Cotton Press.	1,000	125	125	..	235
Colaba Press Co.	930	1,880	1,880	Rs. 60)	790
Dhollera P. & G. Co.	900	300	300	.. 12	165
East India Press Co.	700	1,000	1,000	Rs 130	1,37.
Fort Press Co.	5,500	8,500	8,500	Rs. 150	2,650
Harvey & Sabapathy Co., Ld.	450	500	500	Rs. 25	50
Khamgaum Cotton Press Co.	240	500	500	Rs. 40	450½
Manmar Manfg. Co.	1,000	25	25	Rs. 10	250xd
Meraculle Press	1,500	125	125	..	132½
Mofussil Co.	2,125	400	400	..	107½
New Berar Cotton Ginning & Press Co.	1,250	500	500	..	575
New Broach Cotton Ginning & Press Co.	1,400	100	500	..	3
New Indian Press Co.	4,000	125	125	..	16½
Prince of W. Press	600	500	100	Rs. 30	580
Sabapathy Press Co., Ld. (Bellary)	500	500	500	Rs. 75	450
Sind Press Co.	400	2,000	750	Rs. 75	650
Sind & Punjaub Cotton Press Co.	100	1,000	1,000	Rs. 100	1,125xd
Sassoon Press Co.	300	500	500	25	345
Volkart Press Co.	450	1,000	1,000	Rs. 2)	755

RAILWAY COMPANIES

G. I. P. R. 5 per cent. Stock	..	£100	..	..	£142
B. B. & C. I. R. Guaranteed 5 per cent.	..	£100	..	..	£147

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alcock Ashdown&Co Ld.	1,000	200	200	10 p.c.	210
	1,000	200	100		135
Badhan,Pile &Co.Ld.	3,00.	100	100	Rs. 18	142
Bapty Co., Ld.	2,6•	200	165	Rs. 10	213
Barton & Co., Ld.	1,0•	1,0	10	2-3p.c.	75
Do. Do. last issue	50	100	37½	2-3p.c.	75xd
Bombay Land & Building Co., Ld.	300	500	100	..	..
Bombay Flour Mill Co.	30	500	50	5 p. ct.	6•0
Bombay Saw Mills	80	1,000	1,000	..	415
Bombay Ice Manufacturing Co., Limited	1 25	100	10•	Rs. 6	104
Bombay & Burmah Trading Corporation	11,000	2,50.	1,500	30	3,850
Do. (2nd issue)	1,000	62	375	60	945
Do. (3rd issue)	1,000	62	375	..	880
Bombay Fire Insurance Co.	60	1,00	1,00.	3	935
Bombay Municipal Bonds	..	..	..	6 p.c.	10
Cash Bazaar	1,5•	10.	10.	..	22
Cooper, Madan & Co. Ld.	3,0.	100	10	9	120
Indian Guarantee Suretyship Association	5,0•	100	10	Rs. 5	11
Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Mining Co., Limited	49,00	..	..	..	34
Kurrachee Ice Co., Ld.	50	600	300	35	3.1
Kurrachee Lighterage Company, Ld.	80	500	200	36 p.	310
Kemp & Co. Ld.	4,00	200	175	Rs. 26)	329
Mechanic Building Co.	4,00	22	22	27	..
Napier Hotel Co.	30	100	100	9 p.ct.	10)
Napier Foundry and Mfg. Co.	1,50.	100	100	..	10)
Oriental Government Security Life Association Company	5,00.	200	50	5 & 7	58 & 75
Oriental Loan Association	5,000	20	20	8	2
Pearse and Co. Ld.	1,50.	100	100	8 p.	91
Port Canning Co.	2,00.	1,00.	1,00.	Rs. 16	30½
Prince of Wales Fire Insurance Co.	20	8,000	1,000	Rs. 10	160
Phillips & Co., Ld.	4,000	100	80	Rs. 18	78
Soundy & Co., Ld.	1,20	10	10	Rs. 8	8
Telephone Co., Ld.	19,20.	2.	2.	Rs. 1	13xd
Treacher & Co., Ld.	2,00.	50.	500	Rs. 110	1,145
Thacker & Co., Ld.	1,50.	10.	100	Rs. 1	175
Western India Flour Mills	1,00.	175	100	12 p.c.	145
M Mody & Co., Ld.	2,500	200	200	..	205

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE Clan Alpine, went ashore at Lee point, Perim, got off apparently unhurt and sailed for Bombay, 24th November.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steam-ship Chupra, 1,452 tons, Capt. J. Stewart arrived in harbour on the 7th inst. from Calcutta with a general cargo.

THE steam-ship Sheikh, 1,283 tons, Capt. S. C. Barr arrived in harbour yesterday from Penarth (6th (Nov.), with a cargo of 1,934 tons coal, she is consigned to the Captain.

THE steam-ship Inchlonga, 1,098 tons, Capt. Authony arrived in harbour yesterday from Shields (7th Nov.), with a cargo of 3,087 tons coal, she is consigned to Messrs. James Mackintosh and Co.

THE Anchor Line steam-ship Arabia, 2,314 tons, Captain James Laird sailed yesterday for Liverpool via Kurrachee with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mrs. Maurice, Mr. and Mrs. Street, infant and Nurse, Mr. T. N. Graham, 2 Misses Parfitt, Miss Moffat, Mr. Haji Cassim, and 3 friends and 21 deck passengers.

THE B.I.S.N. Co.'s steam-ship Burmah, 675 tons, Capt. O. R. Mitchell, arrived in harbour yesterday from Kurrachee with a general cargo and the following passengers:—From London—Mr. T. Walker, Mr. Alexander, Mr. E. Cooper, Mr. T. Gilkison, Mr. W. Rennnant, Mr. T. N. Evans, Mr. B. M. Macgregor. From Suez—Mr. David Habib. From Aden—Armourer Sergt. Cowap, wife and child, Sergt. Keeshan, wife and child, Mr. Bernard. From Kurrachee—Sir Henry Mance, Col. Champain, Mr. Tinsaday, Mrs. Savage, Clerk Hayes of Transport Dept., Miss Savage, Mr. E. D. Young, and 22 deck passengers from different parts and 200 deck from Kurrachee.

ARRIVALS.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commander.	From.
8	Inchlonga (s)	Anthony	Shields, Nov. 7.
	Burmah (s)	Mitchell	Kurrachee, Nov. 6.
	Sheikh (s)	Barr	Penarth, Nov. 6.

DEPARTURES.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commander	Destination.
8	Clan Cameron (s	Ereant	Liverpool.
	Arabia (s)	Laird	Liverpool.

The following vessels entered for loading yesterday :—
Steamer Burmah, for Kurrachee.
,, Merka, for Zanzibar.
,, Lord Lansdowne, for Liverpool.
,, Nizame, for Trieste.

DAILY IMPORTS.—DECEMBER 8.

FROM LONDON.

Cathay s—100 kegs paint and 6 cases polish, Chartered Bank of I A and China.
Mirzapore s—15 cases provisions, Ewart Latham and Co.
Lawada s—25 bales old newspaper, E Budroodin.
Parramatta s—5 cases oilmanstores, King, King and Co ; 1 cask Lazarey, Purvis and Co.
Rosetta s—10 cases brandy, Moo jee Indurjee.
Ravenna s—3 cases medicine, other sorts, E Heptoolla.
Teheran s—5 cases brandy Hodgar, Warburton and Co.
Armenia s—1 butt whisky, Phillips and Co.

FROM ANTWERP.

Draco s—123 cases window glass, Byramjee Shapoorjee ; 6 packages glassware, K Tharoo ; 10 packages glassware, A H Es ial ; 20 packages glassware, G Foonjee ; 60 cases window glass, Hassanally Lesamya ; 67 cases paints etc, T Farrooklabhoy ; 9 cases glassware, Hajee Eyeb Adam ; 22 bales printing papers, Sorabjee Jehangeer and Co.

FROM HULL.

Draco s—250 barrels alum, A Bhoyjee ; 40 hogsheads beer, Lyon and Co.

FROM GLASGOW.

Arabia s—1'0 barrels sulphur, M Noorbhoy.
Clan Gordon s—5 cases whisky, Bodger Warburton and Co.
Asia s—20 cases whisky, Cutler Palmer and Co.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Lord Lansdowne s—6 hogsheads wine, Dajeebhoy Dadabhoy.
Arabia s—4 hogsheads and 2 casks wine, Byramji Nusserwanjee ; 5 hogsheads stout, D Cowajee.

DAILY EXPORTS.—DECEMBER 8.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Arabia s—3 bales wool, Nichaldass Thackerdass.

FOR LONDON.

Parramatta s—320 cwts coir yarn, L Maneckchund ; 85 cwts gum, Dadabhoy Rustomji ; 160 cwts gum, N Nursidass ; 220 cwts gum, Bhimjibhoy Sajun ; 230 cwts gum, Lallibhoy Ludha ; 450 cwts gum, Vallji Poonja and Co ; 14 bales ivory, Jairaz Topen ; 7 bales skins, M Josubbhoy and Co ; 7 bales skins, S Ramajanally ; 1,0 0 cwts gingelly seed, A Hasscheck and Co ; 180 cwts gum, Heerjee Virdhur ; 230 cwts gum, A H A Cader ; 140 cwts gum, D Sassoon and Co ; 8 bales skins, V Canjee Co.

FOR ANTWERP.

Recta s—350 bales cotton, Gaddum Bythell and Co ; 500 cwts wheat, William Bellard Co.

FOR HAVRE.

Peveril s—100 bales cotton, F Saugnet and Co ; 250 bales cotton, Geddum Bythell ; 8 001 cwts rapeseed, E D Sassoon and Co ; 150 cwts fennel seed, and 400 bales cotton, George Lockhart and Co.
Cairo s—1,00 cwts wheat, and 500 cwts rapeseed, Ralli Brothers.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Inchrhona s—6,000 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers.

FOR GIBRALTAR.

Peveril s—4,000 cwts wheat, W and A Graham and Co.

FOR HULL.

Kt of St John s—6,03 cwts linseed, Remington and Co.
Kt of St John s—37 cwts aj wan seed, C Lalcobhoy.

FOR DUNKIRK.

East Anglia s—40 cwts linseed, E D Sassoon and Co.

FOR SUEZ.

Parramatta s—130 cwts black pepper, V. Pramjeewandass.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Patna s—103 bales cotton, Ramjeedas Luckmondas.

FOR HONGKONG.

Khiva s—125 cwts raisins, A H Cumroodin ; 66 bales twist, Hajee Adum Esmail and Co ; 115 bales twist, Nursetjee Bomanjee ; 7 cwts muriawang ; and 155 cwts sharkfins and Ishmawa, L Chuttoo.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.
BOMBAY, December 7.
Means of observations at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah. ..... 29·906
Temperature of the Air ..... 76·8
Wet Bulb Thermometer ..... 68·5
Dew Point ..... 61·4
Relativ humidity of Air ..... 66·0
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded=8). 1·3
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m.) .. 84·5
Minimum do. do (read at 10 a.m.) .... 67·4
General Directions of Wind ..... S, NE. ENE. WNW NNW, NE.
Movement of wind in 24 hours' 233
* From midnight to midnight.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—Dec. 4.

Holland, Lt, Bl, 32nd Pioneers, lenguage leave, from Hurnai Valley.

DECEMBER 6.

Parkin, Lt, Bo Comt, on duty, from Poona.

DECEMBER 7.

Young, Capt, Bl, Mily Acct Dept, on duty, from England.
Earl of Lauderdale, Major, Pol Dept, on duty, from England.

DECEMBER 8.

Challener, Capt, Bo, R A, on leave, from Ahmedabad.
Harcourt, Col, Bl, S C, on leave, from Gardaspore.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.
REGIMENTAL ORDERS.

By Lieut-Col. the Hon. L. H. Bayley, Comdt.,
B. V. R. C.
Bombay, December 9.

The Mounted Rifles will parade at the Kennedy Sea-face, near the Churney-road station at 7 a.m., on Thursday, the 10th inst.

The Coorla range is available for class firing every day from this date. Members are requested to send to Head Quarters for their ammunition. Members of A, B, and D Companies should apply to Serjt-Major Abbott, and those of C, E, and F Companies to Serjt-Inst, Walch.

There will be drill every Tuesday and Friday at the Western India Steam Bakery' Compound, Grant Road, at 6-30 a. m. until further orders.

Ammunition can be obtained on the Range on application to the Serjt-Major Abbott or Sergi Instructor Walch at the tents. Officers and non-Commisioned officers wishing to attend clases of Instruction for Certificates are requested to send their names to Head Quarters.

The range at 200, 300 and 500 yards are Reserved for "B" Company Thorpe Medal Compitition on Tuesday the 15th inst.

All members are requested to carefully axamine their rifles and accoutrements when received from Head Quarters as no complaints will be received and every member will be held personally responsible for all Government and Corps property issued to him.

By order,
H. HODGKINSON, Captain,
Adjutant, B. V. R. C.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ORDERS.

(Gazette of India.)

HOME DEPARTMENT.

Mr H L Oliphant is permitted to resign H M's Bengal Civil Service, from 1st Oct, 1885.

The Services of Surg F D C Hawkins are replaced at the disposal of the Military Dept.

The services of the undermentioned Medical Officers are temporarily placed at the disposal of the Mily Dept :—

Surg J Armstrong, and Surg G F Nicholson.

The services of the undermentioned Medical Officers are permanently placed at the disposal of the Govt of the Punjab, from the dates specified opposite their names ; Surg G W P Dennys—31st Oct 884, Surg J A Cunningham, M D,—10th June 1885 Surg G J Shand, M D,—1st Sept, 1885.

The services of Mr C Raban, Dist Supdt of Police, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commr of Assam.

The services of Mr C P Crouch, Dist Supdt of Police, 4th Grade, are replaced at the Govt of Bengal from the date on which he may be relieved of his duties in Assam.

The services of the undermentioned Chaplains of the Bengal (Lahore) Establt are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Mily Dept :—Rev W C Noyes, and Rev T F Dale.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Subject to the confirmation of H M's Govt, the Govr-Genl-in-Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr L Schumacher as Acting Consul for Germany at Rangoon during the absence of Mr A O Hubner.

The services of Col F W Boileau, Commandant of Deoli Irregular Force, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Mily Dept, for employment at the forthcoming Camp of Exercise.

2nd Dec—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced at the disposal of the Mily Dept, from the dates of relinquishing charge of their duties in the Hyderabad State :—

Surg H Greany, MD, Indian Medical Service (Madras), Civil Surg of Chadarghat.
Surg A O Evans, Indian Medical Service (Madras), Supdt of Dispensaries and Vaccination.

3rd Dec—The following appointments are made in the Central India Horse, from 18th Sept, 1885 :—

1st Regiment Capt A G A Durand, Squadron Officer, to be Squadron Commander, on augmentation.
Lieut L Herbert, Offg Squadron Officer, and Offg Adjt, to be Squadron Office, vice Capt Durand, and to continue to officiate as Adjutant.
2nd Regiment—Capt N F F Chamberlain, Squadron Officer, to be Squadron Commander, on augmentation.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Mr Stepen Jacob having been posted as Depy Accountant-General, Beni, received charge of the duties of that appointment from Mr O T Barrow, and Mr O T Barrow assumed charge of the duties of Asst Accountant-Genl, Beni before noon, on the 26th Nov, 1885.

Mr W H Egerton, having received charge of the duties of Asst Comptroller-Genl, Calcutta, before noon, on the 9th Nov, 1885, relieving Mr A Gasper.

N.-W. PROVINCE GOVERNMENT ORDER.

(N.-W. Provs. and Oudh Gazette.)

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

Mr J McCallum Wright, C S, who has reported his arrival at Allahabad on the forenoon of the 2nd Dec, 1885, to be an Asst Magist and Collr, and to be posted to the Moradabad dist.

Mr C Still, C S, who has reported his arrival at Allahabad on the forenoon of the 2nd Dec, 1885, to be an Asst Commr of the 3rd Grade, and to be posted to the Fyzabad dist.

Mr A W Trethewy, C S, who has reported his arrival at Allahabad on the forenoon of the 2nd Dec, 1885, to be an Asst Magist and Collr, and to be posted to the Aligarh dist.

Mr H D Griffin, C S, who has reported his arrival at Allahabad on the forenoon of the 2nd Dec, 1885, to be an Asst Magist and Collr, and to be posted to the Mutra dist.

Mr E O Every Leggatt, C S, who has reported his arrival at Allahabad on the forenoon of the 2nd Dec, 1885, to be an Asst Commr of the 3rd Grade, and to be posted to the Lucknow dist.

The Revd F E Watson, C M S, Missionary, to officiate as Chaplain of Fyzabad, from 26th Nov, 1885, vice the Rev L F Phillips, transferred to Landour and Dehra.

The Rev H K O'Connor, M A, Junior Chaplain, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of this Govt by the Govt of India, Home Dept, from 18th May, 1885, to be Chaplain of Jhansi.

The Rev J F Scobell, M.A, who has reported his return from furlough, to be Chaplain of Benares from 25th Nov, 1885.

Surg-Maj A Deane, MD, Civil Surg, 2nd Class, Cawnpore, to officiate in the 1st Class and to hold civil medical charge of the Benares dist, from the forenoon of 24th Nov, 1885, until further orders.

Surg-Maj A J Willcocks, MD, Offg Civil Surg, 1st Class, to revert to his substantive appointment as Civil Surg, 2nd Class, and to hold medical charge of Naini Tal.

Mr R H Brereton, CS, Asst Magis, on return from leave on medical certificate, to the Allahabad dist.

Surg-Maj J H Condon, MD, Civil Surg, 2nd Class, who has reported his return from furlough, to the civil medical charge of the Cawnpore dist from the forenoon of the 29th Nov, 1885.

The Rev L F Phillips, Chaplain of Fyzabad, to be Chaplain of Landour and Dehra, from 26th Nov, 1885.

The services of the Rev J W Adam, V C, Chaplain of Naini Tal, are placed at the disposal of the Govt of India, Home Dept, for duty with the troops at the approaching Camp of Exercise.

The services of the Rev A E Scony, Chaplain of Lucknow (Cantonment), are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Dept, for duty with the troops at the approaching Camp of Exercise.

The undermentioned officer has been granted by H M's Secy of State for India permission to return to duty :—

Surg-Maj J H Condon, M D, Civil Surg, 2nd Class.

The undermentioned officer has been granted by H M's Secy of State for India permission to return to duty :—W Lambe, Covented Joint-Magis N-W P and Oudh.

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BOMBAY.

MARRIAGE.

FAULKNOR—DE CARTERET—December 8, at the Cathedral, by the Rev. A. Goldwyer Lewis, Senior Presidency Chaplain, Augustus Arthur Malcolm Maude Faulknor, Lieut 4th Regiment, attached 24th Bombay L. I., eldest son of Major-General Faulknor, Bombay Army, to Laura Maria Isabel de Carteret, eldest daughter of John Francis de Carteret, Esq., of Oaklands, Trinity, Jersey.

DEATH.

COGHLAN—At Ramsgate, Kent, General Sir William Marcus Coghlan, K. C. B., R. A., &c., aged 83½ years.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

MARRIAGES.

DENNYS—GORDON-YOUNG—December 1, at St Luke's Church, Jullunder, by the Rev G A Lefroy, M A, assisted by the Rev W Ellison, M.A., and the Rev A C Maitland, B A, George William Patrick (Surgeon, I M D), third son of Major-General J B Dennys, R S C, to Alice Isabel, daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel G Gordon-Young, Commissioner, Jullunder Division.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

"VERAX," &c.—The Matriculation Examination question has been sufficiently discussed for the present.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1885.

THE Bombay correspond

TELEGRAMS.

THE BRITISH IN MANDALAY.

REPORTED MASSACRES BY THE BURMESE.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LUCKNOW, DEC. 7.

The Government of India has just received intelligence from Mandalay, from which it appears that a good working Government has been established there, and that the Burmese Ministers of State are loyally co-operating with the British officials in the endeavour to restore order and give confidence to the people. The Ministry at present is composed of two Mengees, four Atwinwoons or Ministers of the Interior, and seven Woondouks or Under-Secretaries. Colonel Sladen has already presided at two Council meetings.

A disarmament proclamation has been issued, and large quantities of arms are being brought in. Some looting has taken place in the suburbs, but with military precautions and the active assistance of the Ministers it has been put a stop to. The departure of the Kinwoon Mengee with the King removes all opposition, and on the whole the state of affairs is regarded as satisfactory and promising.

Intelligence received subsequently to the above states that the disarmament is being carried out by the Ministers quietly and satisfactorily, and that the people are returning to their homes and avocations. The city is quiet, with the exception of the bands of dacoits in the suburbs, who, however, are being closely looked after. It is said that not a single murder has been committed since the British force arrived in Mandalay.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

The Burmese at Nyoungoo report that all the employés of the Bombay-Burmah Trading Corporation at Chindwin were attacked and killed whilst making their way towards India. It is hoped that the report may prove unfounded or exaggerated, as the employés may have been captured and held for ransom by the wild people whose country they were the first to travel through.

The folly of keeping Theebaw off Rangoon is daily becoming more manifest. Loyal Burmans receive anonymous threatening letters, whilst others openly boast of the approaching restoration. It is unsettling men's minds, and causing general consternation, and more excitement than before the surrender of Mandalay. It is to be regretted that the original plan of keeping the prisoners at the mouth of the river pending final orders of the Government was departed from.

The *Rangoon Gazette*'s Mandalay correspondent says that there was a good deal of dacoity in the city the night after Theebaw left. M. Andreino's house was attacked for some hours. Several dacoits were shot by patrols, some being captured. M. Andreino was chased in the street, and took refuge in a Jew's house.

The city is quiet. Better organised patrolling has stopped dacoities.

General Prendergast has visited Mandalay hill to choose a site for the encampment of the two regiments which are outside the city walls. The health of the troops is very good.

THE VICEROY'S ILLNESS.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LUCKNOW, DEC. 8.

Although the fever still continues, the Viceroy probably starts on Thursday at mid-day, and proceeds to Calcutta by slow stages, sleeping on the road for two nights, and reaching Calcutta on Saturday.

THE *COUP D'ETAT* IN NEPAUL.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LUCKNOW, DEC. 8.

General Jheet Jung, Commander-in-Chief of Nepaul, is here, and interviewed the Foreign Secretary yesterday. The Viceroy cannot meet him on account of illness.

Private advices from Nepaul describe the massacre of the Maharaja Runoodeep Singh, the Prime Minister, General Juggut Jung, eldest son of Sir Jung Bahadur, and others as cowardly and brutal. It appears that on the death of Der Shumshere, General Jheet Jung was appointed Commander-in-Chief. This gave dissatisfaction to Der Shumshere's sons, although Jheet Jung according to Nepalese law was the legitimate successor. After his appointment Jheet Jung, in conjunction with the three sisters—all daughters of Sir Jung Bahadur and widows of the late King, the second sister being the mother of the present King—urged upon Runoodeep Singh to recall Juggut Jung, who was exiled on suspicion of complicity in a plot three years ago. Runoodeep Singh relented, and he went to Nepaul. In the meantime General Jheet Jung took four months' leave to India. As the Nepalese troops were prepared to go to the Delhi Camp of Exercise, Runoodeep Sing ordered Beer Shumshere, eldest son of the late Der Shumshere, to go in command. On the night fixed for leaving, as Runoodeep Singh, with the Maharanis and the young King, were about to retire to rest, three men rushed in and shot Runoodeep Singh and his son. They also shot Juggut Jung. The Maharanis escaped with the young King to the Residency. Beer Shumshere then went there, and made an announcement that the King had appointed him Prime Minister and Commander-in Chief also. After the usurpation, he had the impertinence to communicate to the Viceroy that he was ready to send as many troops as would be required to Delhi.

CASTE HOSPITAL IN MADRAS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, DEC. 7.

Mrs. Grant Duff this evening opened a temporary hospital for caste women, and delivered a speech assuring the large audience present that she had never presided at a meeting with greater pleasure than on the present occasion. She had had a long conversation with Lady Dufferin on the subject, and had been able to assure Her Excellency that nearly all the objects of Lady Dufferin's scheme were being carried out here. The endowment for it had now reached over one lakh of rupees. The Queen-Empress was the patron, and allowed the hospital to bear her name. Mrs. Scharlieb will be the doctor in charge, with a European lady doctor as assistant.

THE VISCOUNT CLANDEBOYE.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, DEC. 8.

The Viscount Clandeboye, the eldest son of the Viceroy, is a passenger for Calcutta by the Pekin. He landed here as the Governor's guest for a few hours to-day.

THE POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

KOLHAPUR, DEC. 8.

Colonel Watson has been appointed to Kattywar. He leaves here when relieved by Mr. Lee-Warner, who is to succeed him.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

THE GENERAL ELECTION.

LONDON, DEC. 8.

The latest election returns show that 317 Liberals, 247 Conservatives, and 73 Parnellites have been elected.

The Right Hon. Lord George Hamilton (Conservative) has been elected for Middlesex (Ealing division).

Mr. W. O'Brien (Nationalist) has been elected for Tyrone (south division).

Mr. John Pender (Liberal) has been defeated for Caithnesshire (Wick Group), and Mr. T. C. Baring (Conservative) has been defeated for Essex (Walthamstow or South-West division).

THE COMING PARLIAMENT.

It is understood that the present Cabinet have decided to remain in office, submitting their programme to Parliament.

REINFORCEMENTS FOR EGYPT.

The 1st Battalion Royal Fusiliers, 1st Battalion Royal Dublin Fusiliers, and the 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment have been ordered to Egypt to reinforce the British garrison there.

THE NILE COMMAND.

CAIRO, DEC. 7.

General Stephenson, accompanied by his staff, is going to Wady Halfa, and will there assume the command of the Nile forces.

THE WAR IN THE BALKANS.

INTERVENTION OF THE POWERS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, DEC. 7.

The Great Powers are intervening between Servia and Bulgaria, and have decided to insist upon the armistice being continued.

TROOPSHIP MOVEMENTS.

ISMAILIA, DEC. 7.

H. M. Troopship Serapis has passed the Suez Canal, outward bound to Bombay.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

LIVERPOOL DEC. 7.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Murray left here for Bombay yesterday morning.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Matheson left here for Colombo, Madras, and Calcutta, yesterday morning.

LONDON, DEC. 7.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Ogilvie arrived here from Bombay yesterday evening.

SUEZ, DEC. 7.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Alpine arrived here yesterday evening.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Macpherson left here for Colombo, Madras, and Calcutt yesterday evening.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steam Huzara arrived here from Bombay, Kurrachee, and Malabar Coast, this afternoon.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Kerbela, homeward bound from Bombay, Kurrachee, and Malabar Coast left here yesterday evening.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Dacca, homeward bound from Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left here yesterday evening.

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Gwalior arrived here from Bombay yesterday evening.

ADEN, DEC. 8.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Lalpoora, homeward bound from Bombay, Kurrachee, and Malabar Coast, left here this morning.

The Italian mail-steamer Domenico Balduino, which left Bombay on the 1st., inst., arrived at Aden on the 7th inst.

The same company's steamer Raffaele Rubattino left Aden for Bombay this morning.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, DEC. 7.

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GENERAL HOGG, the Political Resident, with the Aden Horse and some other troops, recently went beyond Lahej to punish some villagers who were plundering kafilahs on their way to Aden.

WE are informed that the Bombay branch of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation have reduced their rate of interest for twelve months' deposits to four-and-a-half per cent. per annum from this date.

SIR FREDERICK ROBERTS was expected to arrive at Simla yesterday. He returns to Delhi for the camp of exercise on Saturday.

MR. J. MANNERS ROMANIS, B.Sc., of Bombay, has just been elected a Fellow of the Incorporated Society of Authors.

IT is stated at Rangoon that the Chief Commissioner will at once pay a visit to Mandalay, leaving some time during the current week.

MESSRS. THACKER, SPINK, AND CO., of Calcutta, have published a second and revised edition of Major C—'s "Indian Horse Notes." It is described as an epitome of useful information about the horse, arranged for ready reference on emergencies, and specially adapted for officers and mofussil residents. To the majority of Europeans resident in this country, obliged as they are to own one horse at least, the usefulness of such a work is self-evident. Veterinary aid of a fairly reliable character is hard to obtain in India, and that at a high price. People living in the districts, away from towns, often have to suffer much inconvenience in this respect. Though many works on the horse, his treatment and management, exist, still they are too elaborate and technical in their nature to be of much use to the ordinary reader. Besides, they are not at all adapted to the needs of India. There is a vast amount of information about our equine companions spread over Captain Hayes's works, but it is too scattered for ready reference. The little volume before us is nothing if not serviceable. It is alike the cheapest and most portable of its kind, and contains at the same time much information not to be found in other works of a similar nature. Thus, for military men the rules for compensation for chargers and for veterinary attendance have been inserted, besides many practical hints. The most valuable part of the work is that which treats of diseases, their symptoms and treatment. The arrangement of this part of the work is very happy, and enables one to find at a glance what is required. A glossary for explaining technical terms and a Hindustani vocabulary also form part of the work. A special chapter on lameness—the most perplexing and troublesome disease that horse-owners have to deal with—will be appreciated.

A WORK of almost equal utility and treating of a somewhat similar subject, namely, Indian Cattle and Sheep, comes from the Madras publishing firm of Higginbotham. The author is Dr. John Shortt, a medical gentleman, who has evidently had much experience of the subject he treats of, in the management of which he shows considerable skill. This also is a second edition, which shows that the work has already been found useful. Conciseness and accuracy are aimed at in this work also which should prove valuable to owners of cattle and to veterinary students, as very few works of this kind are to be met with in India.

THE complaint raised by the proprietors of the salt-pans at Goa that the indemnity due has not been paid by the British Government is much commented upon by the Goa press. It now turns out that the delay was due to the Portuguese rather than the British Government, in accordance with the provisions of the Luso-English Treaty the Goa old money was recoined at the Bombay Mint, and bills were eventually submitted for payment, of which the Treasury of Goa took no notice. The reminders that were sent from time to time did not receive any better attention. So the payment of the expenses of recoinage, amounting to some ninety thousand rupees, was put off until the British Government, growing impatient of the delay, intimated that; if the amount were not paid off at once, it would be deducted from the indemnity due to the salt-pan proprietors. The Treasury Department of Goa was taken aback by this unexpected arrangement, but having no plausible excuse to offer, meekly acquiesced. So far good, says a correspondent. But what about the salt-pan proprietors? The poor fellows will have to wait perhaps years before they get their dues.

THE new proclamation which has been issued by Colonel Sladen, under orders from General Prendergast, to all civil and military officers in the Burmese Empire, says that King Theebaw having surrendered himself to the Major-General commanding the army of occupation, which now holds the capital and all the principal forts and military stations throughout Upper Burmah, ceases to be King, and has been deported from Upper Burmah. The ministers and all chief officers of State now at the capital have acquiesced in King Theebaw's surrender, and they are at present engaged, in concert with Colonel Sladen, the Chief Political Officer, in arranging the affairs of the State. Their attention is immediately directed towards the restoration of order and the pacification of the country at large. Until the will of Her Majesty the Queen-Empress of India is known, the civil and military administration of the country rests with General Prendergast, who desires to carry on the government with the aid of such of the ministers, governors, and other officers of State at present in office who agree to remain and perform loyal service to the British Government. Here follow eleven of the paragraphs from the original notice issued by Colonel Sladen when the expedition started, in which it is stated that the Buddhist religion will remain the religion of the country, that the priests will be protected, that the national customs will not be interfered with, &c. Then comes the following: "All officials are instructed that they are still to obey such orders as come from the Hlutdaw, or Council of Ministers at Mandalay, and they are assured that no harm will come to them by reason of their having obeyed this notice, as Prince Theebaw will never again rule the country." This proclamation supersedes the printed notices already issued by civil officers at the stations of Minhla, Pagan, and Myingyan.

AMONG the letters seized at Mandalay are several by the Italians employed by Theebaw to arrange to block the English entrance on Mandalay. Comotto, in a letter dated Mandalay, the 7th November, said:—"To me is to be entrusted the arduous task of closing the river Irrawaddy, which is the great and only means of communication of the country. Molinari, captain of engineers, is charged with the fortresses. To-morrow we both start in a steamer in haste." Further on he wrote:—"The worst that can happen will be to become a prisoner of the English, and they will certainly respect me." Another unsigned letter, supposed to be from Civatte, commander of artillery, contained the following:—"You need not be afraid; whatever happens, we shall be respected." After referring to the salary due to him by the Burman Government he goes on to say:—"The general order to-day among us is not to leave Mandalay, so as not to lose our credit, be it stipend or other. But the great decision was as to the opinion of the English Government towards us and their responsibility, and in this case we can but be content, as our liquidation can be more quickly effected with the English than with the Burmans. As soon as I receive the money which the English Government will pay I will at once depart. Molinari has been called to Minhla, where he is being sent back to obstruct the Irrawaddy, and we start to-day. The Doowoon steamer will depart, but when she arrives at Minhla will necessarily find the Irrawaddy blocked. Nevertheless I am certain the English will find it a hard nut to crack, and that we shall make many victims before they arrive at Mandalay. The war will be short, but the mortality g[reat]."

THE special correspondent of the *P[ioneer]* that Comotto not only tried to ruin [him] in Mandalay, but wrote to Italy [and] to write against him in an Italian new[spaper] thus cause him to lose his Consulship. Consid[er]ing that Comotto had lived on M. Andreino's cha[rity] for months, this correspondence stamps him as unscrupulous and ungrateful in the extreme.

ON Mr. Crosthwaite's departure on furlough, the Chief Commissionership of the Central Provinces will pass to Mr. Fitzpatrick, the Legislative Secretary. Mr. Mackenzie, who was almost taking over charge from Mr. Crosthwaite a few months ago, naturally had the first call for the appointment. But Mr. Mackenzie has had 4½ years of the hard work of the Home Office and nearly 12 years without furlough, and is nearly as much in want of rest as Mr. Crosthwaite. He did not therefore care to give up the leave coming to him in March, nor in any case would the doctors have allowed him to do so.

A TELEGRAM from a correspondent of the Boundary Commission, dated Hauzi Khan, Dec. 2, says: "The frontier has been satisfactorily demarcated as far as Hauzi Khan, ninety-three miles from Zolfikar and forty miles from Maruchak. The Commission halts at Hauzi Khan for ten days, pending the survey of the country to Maruchak, where difficulties may be expected. It is hoped, however, to continue the work during the winter: at any rate the demarcation to the Oxus should be finished by the end of March. The health of all is excellent."

A CURIOUS case of piracy was lately before the Sydney Police Court. The alleged piratical act is said to have been committed twelve years ago among the South Sea Islands, when the captain of a trading schooner, taking advantage of the absence of the owner, who was on shore at one of the islands of the Hebrides group, hauled up the anchor and sailed away, leaving his master alone amongst the savages, where he remained for fourteen days. He was rescued by a French vessel, and taken to Noumea, where he had the mortification of noticing in one of the papers the intelligence of his ship arriving at Auckland in charge of the captain, with his name mentioned as the only passenger. Immediately on arriving at New Zealand, the alleged pirate captain forged the name of the owner and disposed of the ship and cargo for a good round sum. Meanwhile the owner had informed the police authorities in the various colonies, and a warrant was issued for the arrest of the defaulter, but he eluded capture until a combination of circumstances resulted in his arrest in Sydney.

THE Conservative Ministry, if they remain in office sufficiently long, will have a valuable piece of Indian patronage, in the appointment of a new Military Member of the Viceroy's Council, General Wilson's intimation of his wish to be relieved having been placed in their hands some weeks ago.

THE Suez Company have commenced the experiment of passing vessels through the Canal by night, but this service will be confined at first to men-of-war and postal steamers, and to the portion of the Canal between Port Said and the post No. 54, a distance of about 30 miles. Vessels must be provided with their own electric apparatus, showing lights forward, aft, and on each side. Special nautical directions have been issued.

THE death of the Emir of Bokhara, Mozzafur Eddin, and, according to a Tashkend telegram, the unanimous recognition of his son, Said Abdul Akhad, as successor to the throne, in conformity with Russian wishes, expressed through the Bokharan Embassy at the time of the coronation at Moscow, calls forth some reflections on the event in the *Novoe Vremya*. It does not appear at present, says this newspaper, that the eldest son of the deceased Emir, Katti Jura, pretender to the throne, is making any effort to claim his inheritance, which is fortunate for Russia, at a moment when all her attention must be concentrated on the Balkan Peninsula. If such were the case, Russia would certainly have to take measures to support the new Emir against his brother coming from his Indian exile.

As a memorial to the late Sir Titus Salt, and in recognition of his benefactions to Saltaire, the governors of the Salt Schools have decided to build a new science and art school, costing about £6,000. The building will be completely finished by the 15th of May, on which day will be opened an exhibition on the lines of the late International Inventions Exhibition. For this purpose the present buildings and a field of six acres will be utilized.

A BLUE BOOK containing the first report of the evidence given before the Royal Commission on the Depression of Trade and Industry has been issued. The Commissioners state that immediately upon their appointment they caused to be addressed to the Chambers of Commerce and other associations representing the interests of the trading and industrial classes a series of questions calculated in their opinion to elicit the facts of the existing condition of trade and industry in the country as compared with former periods. Through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs they also caused a somewhat similar series of questions to be addressed to Her Majesty's diplomatic and consular officers abroad with regard to the condition of trade and industry in foreign countries. Furthermore, they had issued within the last few days a series of questions to trade societies and other organizations representing the interests of the working classes. They had also taken oral evidence from representatives of several departments of Her Majesty's Government with regard to the general circumstances bearing on the country, and proposed next to consider in detail the condition and prospects of some of the leading industries of the country. Appended to the report are the answers forwarded by Chambers of Commerce and notes of the evidence taken.

THE French papers announce that Mdme. Patti, who is now staying in Paris, will be married in June to M. Nicolas, who is better known by his stage name of Signor Nicolini. The ceremony will be performed at Craig-y-Nos, the bride's Welsh residence. In June ten months will have elapsed from the date of the decree of divorce between Mdme. Patti and the Marquis de Caux, which interval is prescribed by the French law.

THE Chief of the German Admiralty has issued strict orders forbidding all officers and men belonging to the imperial navy to write articles or letters for the newspapers, on pain of severe punishment. This interdict has been occasioned, no doubt, by the appearance in the press of a few very harmless newsletters from members of the crews of those German war-vessels that were recently engaged on colonising missions in various parts of the world.

PREPARATIONS are being made in Berlin by the well-known Polar explorer, Lieutenant Schwaka, for a new expedition to the North Pole. He purposes, if possible, to start next spring, and will rely more than any of his predecessors on dogs, sledges, and boats. Experience having shown the inefficiency of the means hitherto resorted to for obtaining provisions, Lieutenant Schwaka is making entirely novel arrangements with regard to supplies.

FOR weeks before the outbreak of the Balkan war every conceivable preparation was going on at Belgrade. Queen Natalie a little while before purchased forty sewing-machines at Buda-Pesth and installed them in the New Konak, where an equal number of sempstresses were employed in making up the garments for the troops, cut out and fashioned by the Queen, the ladies of her Court, and the feminine aristocracy of Belgrade. The same enthusiasm reigned in Athens. M. Arcroff, the richest man in Greece, promised the Government that in case of war he would present one-half of his fortune (which is estimated at 20 million drachmæ) to the public treasury. A rich Roumanian Greek has offered 60,000 drachmæ, the Hellenic colony in Egypt 150,000, and the Monastery of Tenos 20,000. Four inhabitants of the Island of Zante have already presented the Government with a transport steamer; a tailor has offered to provide 500 uniforms free of cost, and a button-maker 15,000 buttons to garnish them withal. A number of houses have been promised for barracks. The Hellenic Government had need of all its fortitude to withstand pressure of this very practical sort. In Athens the people were "mad for war."

THE UNIQUE COMPANY AT THE GAIETY.

LAST night the company played "Blow for Blow," a full-flavoured drama of the old school. The characters so familiar in this class of representation —the villain, the injured but beautiful woman, the faithful servant, the comic follower—are all allotted parts, and some of them very good parts too, though here and there, perhaps, a little strained and unnatural. But, on the whole, the play is well worth seeing, and the spirited manner in which it was acted makes one regret that no larger share of support was accorded to the company. The three principal characters, round which the others merely group themselves, were Alice Petherick, a deserted wife (Miss Louise Crawford); John Drummond, the heavy villain (Mr. Foster); and Charley Spraggs, an amateur sportsman (Mr. James). The two first were represented with great power. Miss Crawford fixed the attention of her audience—scant but appreciative —throughout all her entrances and exits; and it is safe to say that an actress of her ability has seldom, if ever, visited Bombay. Mr. Foster was very good, though his get-up was, perhaps, a little too humble in the early stages of the play; the [illegible] lover of a handsome young girl, who [illegible] the seclusion of her father's home, should surely have presented more attractive appearance than that of the broken-down clerk. Mr. James as Charley [illegible] interpreted in part the character of a good-natured but [illegible] Mr. James as Charley [illegible] funny. He did every[illegible] thinks of doing; but still, under the circumstances, they seemed very natural, though comic. If this clever little company are not supported the public will share in the loss; and future entrepreneurs may come to regard Bombay as a good place to avoid in their tours.

HIGH COURT.—DEC. 8.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice SCOTT.)

THE LONDON, BOMBAY, AND MEDITERRANEAN BANK *vs.* MUNCHERJEE DADABHOY BANAJEE.

Mr. H. STEAD, agent of the Bank, appeared in person. The defendant also appeared in person, and produced an extract from his schedule, in which he had admitted the claim.

Mr. Stead said the decree would be for Rs. 11,398-15-6.

Mr. Kirkpatrick here interposed, saying that he, being the senior member of the Bar present, must object to Mr. Stead conducting the case on behalf of the London Bank. Under clause 10 of the Letters Patent and section 635 of the Civil Procedure Code, Mr. Stead was not entitled to appear for the Bank.

The judge inquired if Mr. Stead appeared on his own behalf.

Mr. Stead said he appeared as agent of the Chancery Court and of the London Bank.

The judge said only advocates and attorneys could appear and address the court on behalf of others, and that Mr. Stead should employ an attorney.

Mr. Stead asked for an adjournment of the case in order to employ an attorney.

Mr. Kirkpatrick said if it was a formal decree, he should not object; but in this instance he did object.

The judge.—I am obliged to you, Mr. Kirkpatrick, for bringing this matter to my notice.

In answer to the court, the defendant said, supposing the plaintiff did not appear, that he was ready to admit the claim.

The judge warned Mr. Stead that he would not be allowed to appear again on behalf of the Bank.

Mr. Jardine said that, strictly speaking, under section 102 of the Civil Procedure Code, his lordship would be right in passing a decree, as the defendant admitted the claim.

The court then passed a decree for the plaintiffs for Rs. 11,398-15-6, with stay of execution.

(Before Mr. Justice BIRDWOOD and Mr. Justice JARDINE.)

THE SURAT POLICE CASE.

IN the case of Meherbai, widow of Hormusjee Dosabhoy Malesaing*s*, Amerising and others, their lordships delivered judgment yesterday. Mr. Manekshah appeared for the petitioner, and Mr. Gokuldas for the respondents.

Mr. Justice Birdwood, in delivering judgment, said.—In this case Meherbai, widow of Hormusjee Dosabhoy, obtained a rule from Nanabhai Haridas and Sir William Wedderburn, J.J., requiring the accused, Amirsing Jetha, Hoosen Gulam Mahomed, and Bhimrao Kashvarao, to show cause why they should not be committed for trial on charges under sections 220 and 342 of the Indian Penal Code. It has been urged before us by Mr. Manekshah, for Meherbai, that Mr. Lely, the magistrate, who discharged the accused, was wrong in his findings on the issues recorded by him as to the legality of the arrest of Hormusjee and the corrupt or malicious motives of the accused. We have been asked to infer the existence of this *animus* from the unnecessary harshness with which the arrest was conducted, a subject with which Mr. Lely has dealt in his third finding. The these grounds we are asked to direct the committal of the accused to the Court of Session. On a consideration of the very careful judgment recorded by Mr. Lely, and his full discussion of the evidence, we do not see good reasons for the arrest, we do not think that, as a Court of Revision, we should interfere with his decision either on the ground that there was no reasonable suspicion or complaint to justify the arrest, or on the ground that the accused acted from corrupt or malicious motives. We have been referred to the opinion expressed by the Calcutta High Court in Queen *vs.* Behary Singh (7 W. R., Cr. R., page 39). In that case, which was decided when the powers of police officers to arrest without a warrant were regulated by section 100 of Act XXV. of 1861, Markby, J., observed—"What is a reasonable complaint or suspicion must depend on the circumstances of each particular case; but it must be at least founded on some definite fact tending to throw suspicion on the person arrested, and not on mere vague surmise or information." These words are a comment on clause 2 of section 100 of the Code of 1861, which authorised the arrest, without a warrant, of a person against whom a reasonable complaint had been made, or a reasonable suspicion existed, of his having been concerned in any offence of the class described in the Code of 1872 and 1882 as "cognisable offences." The law has now been altered by section 54 of the Code of 1882, which authorises the arrest, not only of persons against whom a reasonable complaint has been made, or a reasonable suspicion exists of their having been so concerned, but also of persons against whom "credible information" to that effect has been received. In the present case, the prosecution failed to satisfy the magistrate that the informer Parbhu Jumnadas had given no information to the accused of the kind contemplated in section 54 of the Code; and we cannot say that the magistrate's finding on the evidence before him was wrong, or that he failed to notice any evidence bearing on the point. We must hold, therefore, that the accused acted within their legal powers of arrest, however harshly they may have behaved in the exercise of those powers. These considerations are really sufficient to enable us to dispose of the application now before us. If the arrest was legal, there could be no guilty knowledge in suppressing it as illegal or false, and it would be necessary to establish against the accused to justify a conviction under section 220, Indian Penal Code. (See Regina *vs.* Narayen Babajee, 9 Bombay High Court Reports, page 96). It is only where the police exceed an excess by a police officer of his legal powers of arrest that it becomes necessary to consider whether he has acted corruptly or maliciously, and with the knowledge that he was "acting contrary to law." Nevertheless, in the present case, we may say that there is no reason for holding that Mr. Lely has wrongly appreciated so much of the evidence as bears on the question which brought his own mind to in arresting the deceased Hormusjee. The arrest was certainly conducted with unnecessary harshness; but we concur with Mr. Lely in holding that the legislature has given sweeping powers to the country, and such conduct as the police were guilty of in the present case to the supervision of executive authority, and such supervision is shown to have been exercised as regards the accused. The arrest of the deceased having been strictly legal, it is obvious that the accused could not be successfully proceeded against on a charge under section 342, Indian Penal Code. For these reasons, we decline to interfere with the magistrate's order.

THE NATIVE PRESS.

THE MISSION OF THE INDIAN DELEGATES.

The *Indu Prakash* says:—"It seems all the enthusiasm aroused by the appearance of the delegates has had no effect on the approval or rejection of particular candidates. The electors are too much engrossed with local politics to heed any observations of the Indian delegates. Further it must be noted that whatever the instructions of our Associations the delegates have kept clear of the Scylla and Charibdis of supporting or opposing the candidature of particular men. As far as their reported speeches go they seem to have confined their efforts to explaining some of our prominent grievances, without attacking either Government or individuals. The election or rejection of candidates can not therefore be taken as a measure of the success or failure of the mission of the delegates. The favourable impression the delegates have made on British audiences will not be without its results in the long run, although for the present it may be quite overpowered by other influences. We should certainly have been the gainers if the men whom we regard as our friends—men like Mr. Digby, Mr. Slagg, Sir John Pheear—had been elected, but their failure can in no respect detract from the value of the services performed by the delegates. The delegates set about their mission with a fixed programme before them which made the informing and instructing of public opinion in England their first object, and the support or opposition to the election of particular men as secondary. The latter they never attempted and they can not be charged with failure for not succeeding in it. The former they have accomplished with as signal a success as could be possible in two months, and at such a disturbed time as the eve of the general elections. If the effects of this success are to be made durable it must be followed up by a scheme of permanent delegation. The subject is attended with undoubted difficulties. It is not easy to find the men who would be capable and willing to serve the country's cause in England for any length of time. The maintenance of a permanent delegation would cost an amount of money which can not be easily collected. But these difficulties are not insurmountable, and an effort should be made to organize a national movement for the furtherance of this cause.

AN INDIAN MUSEUM.

Now that the Exhibition project has been given up, we think it would not be out of place to suggest that a museum of Indian products should be always kept ready for reference. We would not limit its place any European element in this collection, as the magnificent Europe shops in the large Indian cities are by themselves rich exhibitions of European skill and manufacture. We can safely say that the people in the Punjab do not know what tea is manufactured in the Deccan, and *vice versâ*, though the markets in both the localities are deluged with European goods. It is to bring the different products of this vast peninsula in close contact that we recommend the opening of these Indian Museums in the principal cities.—*Bombay Samachar.*

THE DEFEAT OF MR. LAL MOHUN GHOSE.

WE are sure the defeat of Mr. Lal Mohun Ghose is more congenial than disappointing to him in future. Mr. Ghose had secured 3,360 votes as against 3,927 for his opponent, which, considering the novel candidature, is an honourable defeat.—*Id.*

THE BORAH SANATARIUM.

WE understand that the opening of the sanatarium built near the Churney-road station by Mr. Adamjee Peerbhoy for the benefit of the Borah community has been delayed through some misunderstanding between the worthy donor and the Moolajee, or the high-priest of the Borahs. The cause of the misunderstanding appears to be very insignificant. It would appear that when the Moolajee was invited from Surat to Bombay for the purpose of performing the ceremony of opening the mosque attached to the sanatarium he travelled in a first class, while the donor was made to sit in a second-class carriage. The latter hereupon felt himself slighted. Now the Borah community will not make use of the building unless the Moolajee sanctions it.—*Akhbari Soudagar.*

"HIND AND BRITTANIA."

WE expected adverse criticism from the Government reporter on the work entitled "Hind and Brittania." It is natural for a Government servant to express himself thus. The reporter's opinion is, however, not the public opinion.—*Gusarat Mitra.*

FLORILINE.—FOR THE TEETH AND BREATH.—A few drops of the liquid "Floriline" sprinkled on a wet tooth-brush produces a pleasant lather, which thoroughly cleanses the teeth from all parasites or impurities, hardens the gums, prevents tartar, stops decay, gives to the teeth a pearly whiteness, and imparts a delightful fragrance to the breath. It removes all unpleasant odour arising from decayed teeth or tobacco smoke. The "Fragrant Floriline," being composed in part of honey and sweet herbs, is delicious to the taste, and the greatest toilet discovery of the age. Price Re. 0[illegible], of all Chemists and Perfumers throughout the world. Wholesale of The Anglo-American Drug Company, Limited, 33, Farringdon-road, London.

BRITISH RULE IN INDIA.

MR. MANECKJEE BYRAMJEE DADABHOY read a paper on the "Administration of India by England" before the East India Association on Nov. 20. As regards the alleged want of sympathy between Europeans and natives, he said:—It is most anxious and a difficult problem which yet remains to be solved. But that is a drawback with which we must continue to reckon so long as the two races differ in their thoughts, lives, and daily habits as widely as they do now. "'Tis distance lends enchantment to the view" but a closer inspection, even of the polmy days of Akbar, will hardly tend to persuade us that India as a whole has not gained enormously by the transfer of power from Akbar's countrymen to those of Queen Victoria. The present, at any rate, seems hardly the time for questioning the advantages, moral and material, of British rule. So far indeed do most of my countrymen seem from acquiescing in the views of pessimists, whether Indian or English that never before have all classes shown themselves so united in expressions of loyalty to the British crown. The significant outburst of popular feeling which everywhere greeted Lord Ripon's departure from the scene of his viceregal career, furnished the text for a noteworthy article in *The Pioneer*. Whatever he had done or failed to do, whatever innovations in administrative affairs he desired to make, whether they were timely or premature, both Englishmen and Indians will not hesitate to admit, laying party animosity or antagonism aside, that he had striven to discharge his duty in a distance country in a manner highly creditable to himself and to the powerful and renounce nation which he represented. Since his departure events have happened which brought native loyalty out once more into a strong relief. Nothing could be more hopeful for India's future than the spirit in which her people and their leaders have hailed the prospect of a collision with Russia. Under such signs and trustworthy, Englishmen need not feel the least alarm at Russia's neighbourhood to the Afghan frontier. Instead of regarding the great northern Power with any sort of friendliness or approval, Indians have displayed a very decided preference for the existing order of things, and a very strong distaste for Russian principles of government. They dread the unknown too much to exchange the temperate freedom they now enjoy under foreign masters for the best that Russia could offer them, even if she would. Better at all events they think to

"Bear the ills we have,
Than fly to others that we know not of."

Not one of the chief native princes, but has come forward to place all the resources of his kingdom at England's disposal in the event of war. Such is the reward the English nation has reaped already for its faithful fulfilment of the mission which a kindly Providence entrusted to its hands. Let England only keep true to the principles which have marked her rule in India during the last generation, and the security of her Indian Empire can never be endangered, whether by outward assailants or internal machinations. We at least in India, with the exception of a few fanatics and dreamers, have too long enjoyed the blessings of her just and beneficent rule, and would not for a think of exchanging it for any vission of an absolute freedom would almost certainly end in chronic anarchy or dispotism of the worst type. We feel much of England's glory and greatness is bound up in the retention of her great Eastern Empire, and how largely her rule in India adds to the comfort, peace, and hapiness of all who live under that rule. In conclution I will ask my hearers to believe, notwithstanding what is said, and will in future be said to the contrary by my countrymen and fellow-subjects in the heat of discussion and in the strife of journalistic warfare, that all classes in India are profoundly penetrated with a sentiment of gratitude for the incalculable blessing conferred on India by the benevolence, the justice, and the wisdom of British rule.

THE NEW SUBMARINE CABLE FOR THE PERSIAN GULF.

LETTERS have been received from Suez descriptive of the severe gale encountered by the Dacia in the Bay of Biscay from the 8th till the 10th of October on her voyage out to the Persian Gulf. She sailed from the Thames on the 6th, followed two days later by the International, and besides her officers and crew had on board the chief of the expedition, Colonel Bateman-Champain, R.E., director-in-chief of the Indo-European Telegraph, for the thorough efficiency of which department as a means of communication between England and the East the country is chiefly indebted to Colonel Bateman Champain himself. There were also on board the Dacia Sir Henry Mance, C.I.E., electrician of the Persian Gulf cables; Dr. Denis Scully, of the Persian Telegraph staff; and a few passengers accompanying the expedition, among whom were Colonel G. A. Leach, R.E., Land Commissioner of England.

The weather was stormy when the Dacia sailed, and the friends who assembled to wish God speed to the expedition could not but think of the unlucky history of the last Persian Gulf cable, laid in 1868, after having been successfully landed on the coast of Calcutta during a terrific gale in the English Channel, and after the P. and O. steamer Carnatic, with Colonel Bateman-Champain on board on his way to superintend the laying of the cable, had been wrecked, and upwards of 90 of her passengers and crew had perished in the Red Sea.

The following extracts from a private letter from Colonel Bateman-Champain to a friend in England show how near the Dacia came to about the present expedition were to being realized:—

Steamship Dacia.—When we woke up this morning (Oct. 8), things were looking gloomy; a strong wind was blowing straight in our teeth as we steered for Ushant, and we hardly made any progress. Of course, too, it rained hard at intervals, and was cold; while the ladies and landsmen were all more or less helpless, and confined to bed. The ship, however, was amazingly steady, considering the sea was pretty rough, and all I felt sulky about was our slow speed. The wind kept on rising, and, of course, the sea with it. In the evening (8th) a regular, gale came on, and all we could do was to lie to, head to wind, and ride it out. We pitched and rolled a good deal, and the sea began to wash over our decks, so that it was rather difficult to get to and from my cabin. Once I got a green sea right over me, and had to change every rag. Altogether the 9th was a miserable day, and there was no sign of the tempest abating. That night we had almost a hurricane. A sea carried away one of my windows, after I had turned in, and set my cabin awash, but I could not join the others for fear of being swept overboard on the journey aft. About midnight one of our boats was washed away, to our immense disgust, because if picked up with 'Dacia' plainly painted on her you poor people would imagine the worst. Friday night was the worst, but Saturday was bad enough by this time the sea was terrible. It broke through the skylight into the saloon, and we had to bat

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TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, the 10th instant, Messrs. MENESSE & Co. will hold their usual weekly Auction sale at their rooms, of a quantity of grey & coloured piece-goods, twist, &c :—

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On account of the concerned.
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.
O. C. J.
Suit No. 83 of 1882.
JEEVUNJI JAFFERJI and another.....Plaintiffs
vs.
HEERJIBHOY HORMUSJEE SHROFF and another....Defendants.

By order of JAMES FLYNN, Esq., Receiver appointed by the High Court of Bombay in the above suit of the property, estate, and assets of Jafferjee Tyebjee in the pleadings of this suit mentioned, Messrs Mehrjee Johnston & Co. will sell by Public Auction on the day hereinafter named the following properties on account and risk of Thucker Dayal Tharsee pursuant to the power of sale reserved in an indenture of mortgage, dated the 30th day of September 1879.

On MONDAY, 21st December, 1885, at 4 p.m.

Firstly.—All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground, together with the messuage, tenement and dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being without the Fort of Bombay at Vuddachee Gadg in the registration sub-district of Mandvee, formerly and now in the occupation of the said Dayal Dharsey and his tenants, containing by admeasurement twenty-nine feet and seven inches on the East side thereof, thirty-five feet on the west side thereof, fifty-nine feet and six inches on the North side thereof, and sixty-four feet and three inches on the south side thereof, making together in the aggregate two hundred and twenty square yards, be the same little more or less, and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 753, and which said house is assessed by the Collector of Municipality under No. 36, standing in the name of the said Dayal Dharsey, both in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue and the Municipality and bounded as follows :—That is to say, on or towards the east by the public road called Kesajee Hussajee Street, on or towards the west by the public road called the Bindar ware cross-street, on or towards the north by the house of Thucker Moje Godoo, and on or towards the south by the house formerly of Ramjee Pairaz and now of Vanjee Ruckmidass.

On MONDAY, 21st December, 1885, at 4-30 p.m.

Secondly.—All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground, together with the messuages, tenements, and dwelling house and stable standing thereon, situate, lying and being without the Fort of Bombay at Vuddachee Gadee in Kesajee Hussajee street, in the registration sub-district of Mandvee, formerly and now occupied by the said Dayal Dharsey and his tenants, containing by admeasurement one hundred and forty-eight square yards, be the same little more or less, and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Nos. 539 and 536, and which said messuages are assessed by the Collector of Municipal Taxes under No. 23, and bounded as follows :—That is to say, on or towards the east by the public passage and the house of Moosa Mapla, on or towards the west by the public road called Kesajee Hussajee Street, on or towards the north by a public passage and the house of Moosa Mapla, on or towards the south by the house of Khutdow Rowjee. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Nanabhoy and Hormusjee, Solicitors for the Receiver, at their office, No. 29, in Medow-street, or to the undersigned.

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